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Fill in this information to identify your case:		
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:		
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS		
Case number (if known)	Chapter you are filing under:	
	☐ Chapter 7	
	☐ Chapter 11	
	☐ Chapter 12	
	■ Chapter 13	☐ Check if this an amended filing

## Official Form 101

## **Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy**

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The bankruptcy forms use you and Debtor 1 to refer to a debtor filing alone. A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together—called a *joint case*—and in joint cases, these forms use you to ask for information from both debtors. For example, if a form asks, "Do you own a car," the answer would be yes if either debtor owns a car. When information is needed about the spouses separately, the form uses *Debtor 1* and *Debtor 2* to distinguish between them. In joint cases, one of the spouses must report information as *Debtor 1* and the other as *Debtor 2*. The same person must be *Debtor 1* in all of the forms.

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known). Answer every question.

Par	t 1:	Identify Yourself		
			About Debtor 1:	About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):
1.	You	r full name		
	your pictu exar	e the name that is on government-issued are identification (for mple, your driver's	Ricardo First name	First name
	license or passport).	Middle name	Middle name	
ic	iden	Bring your picture identification to your meeting with the trustee.	Sepeda Last name and Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)	Last name and Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)
2.		other names you have d in the last 8 years		
		ide your married or den names.		
3.	you num Indi	y the last 4 digits of r Social Security aber or federal vidual Taxpayer utification number	xxx-xx-2556	

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Debtor 1 Ricardo J Sepeda

		About Debtor 1:		About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):				
1.	Any business names and Employer Identification Numbers (EIN) you have used in the last 8 years	■ I have not used any business name or EINs.	☐ I have not used any business name or EINs.					
	Include trade names and doing business as names	Business name(s)	-	Business name(s)				
		EINs	-	EINs				
5.	Where you live	4520 N.L. otvo Ave		If Debtor 2 lives at a different address:				
		1536 N Lotus Ave Chicago, IL 60651	_	N. J. St.				
		Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code		Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code				
		Cook County	-	County				
If your mailing address is different from the one above, fill it in here. Note that the court will send any notices to you at this mailing address.				If Debtor 2's mailing address is different from yours, fill it in here. Note that the court will send any notices to this mailing address.				
		Number, P.O. Box, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	_	Number, P.O. Box, Street, City, State & ZIP Code				
ò.	Why you are choosing this district to file for	Check one:		Check one:				
bankruptcy		Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.		Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.				
		☐ I have another reason. Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)		☐ I have another reason. Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)				

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art	Tell the Court About	Your Ba	ankruptcy Ca	se				
7.	The chapter of the Bankruptcy Code you are	Check one. (For a brief description of each, see Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Form 2010)). Also, go to the top of page 1 and check the appropriate box.						
	choosing to file under	☐ Ch	napter 7					
		☐ Ch	napter 11					
		☐ Ch	napter 12					
		■ Cł	napter 13					
3.	How you will pay the fee	I will pay the entire fee when I file my petition. Please check with the clerk's office in your local court for more details about how you may pay. Typically, if you are paying the fee yourself, you may pay with cash, cashier's check, or money order. If your attorney is submitting your payment on your behalf, your attorney may pay with a credit card or check with a pre-printed address.						
					stallments. If you choose the ts (Official Form 103A).	is option, sign and attach	the Application for Individuals	to Pay
			but is not requapplies to you	ng for Chapter 7. By law, a jud- nan 150% of the official poverty ou choose this option, you mus d file it with your petition.	y line that			
D. Have you filed for bankruptcy within the last 8 years?  ☐ Yes.								
	lust o yours.		District		When	Case	e number	
			District		When		e number e number	
			District		When		e number	
			District		Wildlin			
10.	Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being	■ No						
	filed by a spouse who is not filing this case with you, or by a business partner, or by an affiliate?	☐ Ye	S.					
			Debtor			Relati	onship to you	
			District		When	Case	number, if known	
			Debtor			Relati	onship to you	
			District		When	Case	number, if known	
11.	Do you rent your residence?	■ No	Go to li	ine 12.				
	residence:	☐ Ye	s. Has yo	ur landlord obt	ained an eviction judgment	against you and do you w	ant to stay in your residence?	
				No. Go to line	12.			
				Yes. Fill out Ir bankruptcy pe		viction Judgment Against	You (Form 101A) and file it wit	h this

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Number, Street, City, State & Zip Code

Where is the property?

For example, do you own perishable goods, or livestock that must be fed,

or a building that needs urgent repairs?

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# 15. Tell the court whether you have received a briefing about credit

counseling.

Part 5:

The law requires that you receive a briefing about credit counseling before you file for bankruptcy. You must truthfully check one of the following choices. If you cannot do so, you are not eligible to file.

If you file anyway, the court can dismiss your case, you will lose whatever filing fee you paid, and your creditors can begin collection activities again.

#### **About Debtor 1:**

You must check one:

Explain Your Efforts to Receive a Briefing About Credit Counseling

I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a certificate of completion.

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

□ I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, but I do not have a certificate of completion.

Within 14 days after you file this bankruptcy petition, you MUST file a copy of the certificate and payment plan, if any.

I certify that I asked for credit counseling services from an approved agency, but was unable to obtain those services during the 7 days after I made my request, and exigent circumstances merit a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement.

To ask for a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement, attach a separate sheet explaining what efforts you made to obtain the briefing, why you were unable to obtain it before you filed for bankruptcy, and what exigent circumstances required you to file this case.

Your case may be dismissed if the court is dissatisfied with your reasons for not receiving a briefing before you filed for bankruptcy. If the court is satisfied with your reasons, you must still receive a briefing within 30 days after you file. You must file a certificate from the approved agency, along with a copy of the payment plan you developed, if any. If you do not do so, your case may be dismissed.

Any extension of the 30-day deadline is granted only for cause and is limited to a maximum of 15 days.

☐ I am not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling because of:

#### ☐ Incapacity.

I have a mental illness or a mental deficiency that makes me incapable of realizing or making rational decisions about finances.

#### ☐ Disability.

My physical disability causes me to be unable to participate in a briefing in person, by phone, or through the internet, even after I reasonably tried to do so.

#### ☐ Active duty.

I am currently on active military duty in a military combat zone.

If you believe you are not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling, you must file a motion for waiver credit counseling with the court.

### About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):

You must check one:

□ I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a certificate of completion.

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

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I am currently on active military duty in a military combat zone.

If you believe you are not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling, you must file a motion for waiver of credit counseling with the court.

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Par	6: Answer These Quest	ons for R	eporting Purposes						
16.	What kind of debts do you have?	16a.	Are your debts primarily consu individual primarily for a personal			n 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an			
			☐ No. Go to line 16b.						
			Yes. Go to line 17.						
		16b.	Are your debts primarily busine money for a business or investme						
			□ No. Go to line 16c.						
			☐ Yes. Go to line 17.						
		16c.	State the type of debts you owe the	hat are not consumer	debts or business deb	ots			
17.	Are you filing under Chapter 7?	■ No.	I am not filing under Chapter 7. G	o to line 18.					
	Do you estimate that after any exempt property is excluded and	☐ Yes.	I am filing under Chapter 7. Do yo are paid that funds will be availab			s excluded and administrative expenses			
	administrative expenses are paid that funds will		□ No						
	be available for distribution to unsecured creditors?		Yes						
18.	How many Creditors do you estimate that you owe?	■ 1-49 □ 50-99 □ 100-1 □ 200-9		☐ 1,000-5,000 ☐ 5001-10,000 ☐ 10,001-25,000		☐ 25,001-50,000 ☐ 50,001-100,000 ☐ More than100,000			
19.	How much do you estimate your assets to be worth?	□ \$0 - \$50,000 □ \$50,001 - \$100,000 ■ \$100,001 - \$500,000 □ \$500,001 - \$1 million		\$1,000,001 - \$10 \$10,000,001 - \$10 \$50,000,001 - \$10 \$100,000,001 - \$10	50 million 100 million	□ \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion □ \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion □ \$10,000,000,001 - \$50 billion □ More than \$50 billion			
20.	How much do you estimate your liabilities to be?	<b>\$100</b> ,	50,000 01 - \$100,000 001 - \$500,000 001 - \$1 million	\$1,000,001 - \$10 \$10,000,001 - \$10 \$50,000,001 - \$10 \$100,000,001 - \$10	50 million 100 million	□ \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion □ \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion □ \$10,000,000,001 - \$50 billion □ More than \$50 billion			
Part	:7: Sign Below								
For	you	I have ex	amined this petition, and I declare	under penalty of perju	ıry that the information	n provided is true and correct.			
				Chapter 7, I am aware that I may proceed, if eligible, under Chapter 7, 11,12, or 13 of title 11, and the relief available under each chapter, and I choose to proceed under Chapter 7.					
If no attorney represents me and I did not pay or agree to pay someone who is not an attorney to help me fill out this document, I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).						attorney to help me fill out this			
I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.									
		bankrupto and 3571	I understand making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.						
		Ricardo	rdo J Sepeda o J Sepeda e of Debtor 1	Sig	gnature of Debtor 2				
		Executed	on September 25, 2017	Ex	ecuted on				
			MM / DD / YYYY		MM / DD	) / YYYY			

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For your attorney, if you are represented by one

If you are not represented by an attorney, you do not need to file this page. I, the attorney for the debtor(s) named in this petition, declare that I have informed the debtor(s) about eligibility to proceed under Chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each chapter for which the person is eligible. I also certify that I have delivered to the debtor(s) the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) and, in a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, certify that I have no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules filed with the petition is incorrect.

/s/ Ted A.	Smith	Date	September 25, 2017
Signature of	Attorney for Debtor		MM / DD / YYYY
Ted A. Sm	ith		
Printed name			
Smith Orti	z P.C.		
Firm name			
4309 W. F	ullerton Avenue		
Chicago, I	L 60639		
Number, Street,	City, State & ZIP Code		
Contact phone	773-384-7400	Email address	ted.smith@smithortiz.com
6271456			
Bar number & S	tate		<del></del>

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Fill in this infor	mation to identify your	case:			
Debtor 1	Ricardo J Sepeda	3			
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2					
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
United States Ba	ankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS		
Case number					
(if known)					☐ Check if this is an amended filing

## Official Form 106Sum

### Summary of Your Assets and Liabilities and Certain Statistical Information

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. Fill out all of your schedules first; then complete the information on this form. If you are filing amended schedules after you file your original forms, you must fill out a new *Summary* and check the box at the top of this page.

Pai	t 1: Summarize Your Assets		
		Your a	ssets of what you own
1.	Schedule A/B: Property (Official Form 106A/B)  1a. Copy line 55, Total real estate, from Schedule A/B	\$	160,000.00
	1b. Copy line 62, Total personal property, from Schedule A/B	\$	4,827.24
	1c. Copy line 63, Total of all property on Schedule A/B	\$	164,827.24
Pai	t 2: Summarize Your Liabilities		
			iabilities nt you owe
2.	Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property (Official Form 106D)  2a. Copy the total you listed in Column A, Amount of claim, at the bottom of the last page of Part 1 of Schedule D	\$	156,548.00
3.	Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims (Official Form 106E/F) 3a. Copy the total claims from Part 1 (priority unsecured claims) from line 6e of Schedule E/F	\$	0.00
	3b. Copy the total claims from Part 2 (nonpriority unsecured claims) from line 6j of Schedule E/F	\$	46,860.00
	Your total liabilities	\$	203,408.00
Pai	t 3: Summarize Your Income and Expenses		
4.	Schedule I: Your Income (Official Form 106I) Copy your combined monthly income from line 12 of Schedule I	\$	2,900.00
5.	Schedule J: Your Expenses (Official Form 106J) Copy your monthly expenses from line 22c of Schedule J	\$	2,778.00
Pai	4: Answer These Questions for Administrative and Statistical Records		
6.	Are you filing for bankruptcy under Chapters 7, 11, or 13?  No. You have nothing to report on this part of the form. Check this box and submit this form to the court with you	ur other sc	hedules.
7.	■ Yes What kind of debt do you have?		
	Your debts are primarily consumer debts. Consumer debts are those "incurred by an individual primarily for a household purpose." 11 U.S.C. § 101(8). Fill out lines 8-9g for statistical purposes. 28 U.S.C. § 159.	a personal	, family, or

the court with your other schedules.

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Summary of Your Assets and Liabilities and Certain Statistical Information

Your debts are not primarily consumer debts. You have nothing to report on this part of the form. Check this box and submit this form to

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From the Statement of Your Current Monthly Income: Copy your total current monthly income from Official Form 122A-1 Line 11; OR, Form 122B Line 11; OR, Form 122C-1 Line 14.

2,900.00

Copy the following special categories of claims from Part 4, line 6 of Schedule E/F:

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From Part 4 on Schedule E/F, copy the following:		
9a. Domestic support obligations (Copy line 6a.)	\$	0.00
9b. Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government. (Copy line 6b.)	\$	0.00
9c. Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated. (Copy line 6c.)	\$	0.00
9d. Student loans. (Copy line 6f.)	\$	15,947.00
9e. Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims. (Copy line 6g.)	\$	0.00
9f. Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts. (Copy line 6h.)	+\$	0.00
9g. <b>Total.</b> Add lines 9a through 9f.	\$	15,947.00

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Fill	in this informa	ation to identify	your case and th	nis filing	:				
Deb	otor 1	Ricardo J Se	•						
Deb	otor 2	First Name	Middle	e Name		Last Name			
	use, if filing)	First Name	Middle	Name		Last Name			
Uni	ted States Bank	kruptcy Court for	the: NORTHER	N DISTE	RICT OF ILLI	NOIS			
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Of	ficial For	m 106A/B							
Sc	hedule	A/B: Pr	operty						12/15
n ea	ch category, sep	parately list and de	escribe items. List			an asset fits in more than one			
						le are filing together, both are ne top of any additional pages			
Ansv	ver every question	on.							
Part	1: Describe Ea	ach Residence, Bu	uilding, Land, or Ot	her Real	Estate You O	wn or Have an Interest In			
1. <b>D</b> e	o you own or ha	ve any legal or eq	uitable interest in a	ny reside	ence, building	յ, land, or similar property?			
	No. Go to Part 2	<b>)</b>							
_	Yes. Where is t								
	· 103. WHOICIST	ino proporty:							
1.1				What	is the propert	ty? Check all that apply			
	1536 N. Lot				Single-family	home			s or exemptions. Put
	Street address, if a	available, or other des	cription	Duplex or multi-unit building			the amount of any secured claims on Scheo Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Pro		
					Condominium	n or cooperative			
					Manufactured	d or mobile home	Current value of	f the C	Current value of the
	Chicago	IL	60651-0000		Land		entire property?	? p	ortion you own?
	City	State	ZIP Code		Investment programmer Timeshare	roperty	\$160,00	0.00	\$160,000.00
			Other			Describe the nature of your ownership intere (such as fee simple, tenancy by the entireties			
				Who I		st in the property? Check one	a life estate), if	known.	,
	Cook				Debtor 1 only		Joint tenant		
	County				Debtor 2 only	Debtor 2 only			
						of the debtors and another	☐ Check if thing (see instruction		inity property
					-	you wish to add about this iter	m, such as local		
				prope	rty identificat	ion number:			
2.	Add the dollar	r value of the po	rtion you own fo	r all of y	our entries	from Part 1, including any	entries for		\$160,000.00
	2: Describe You		art 1. Write that	Humber	11010				<u> </u>
raii	Describe 10	our vernicles							
						whether they are registered Executory Contracts and Une		e any vehic	cles you own that
		•				2.000 and One	mpirou Louses.		
3. <b>C</b>	ars, vans, truc	cks, tractors, sp	ort utility vehicle	s, moto	cycles				
	l <sub>No</sub>								
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☐ Yes

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	rcraft, aircraft, motor homes, ATVs a bles: Boats, trailers, motors, personal w			ehicles, and accesso	ries	
■ No						
☐ Ye	2					
	the dollar value of the portion you o s you have attached for Part 2. Write					\$0.00
	Describe Your Personal and Household					
Do you	own or have any legal or equitable i	nterest in any of the follo	owing items?			Current value of the portion you own? Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions.
Exar No	ehold goods and furnishings nples: Major appliances, furniture, liner o es. Describe	s, china, kitchenware				
<b>—</b> 16	es. Describe					
	Furniture Used	d - Tables, Sofa, Lamp	s, Chairs, Be	ed,		\$600.00
	nples: Televisions and radios; audio, vi including cell phones, cameras,		uipment; comp	uters, printers, scanner	s; music colle	ctions; electronic devices
	Used TV, cell	ohone				\$350.00
Exar	ctibles of value nples: Antiques and figurines; paintings other collections, memorabilia, o es. Describe		ooks, pictures,	or other art objects; st	amp, coin, or	baseball card collections;
Exar ■ No	oment for sports and hobbies  inples: Sports, photographic, exercise, a  musical instruments  o  as. Describe	and other hobby equipmen	t; bicycles, poo	l tables, golf clubs, skis	s; canoes and	kayaks; carpentry tools;
	2000					
■ No	arms amples: Pistols, rifles, shotguns, ammu	nition, and related equipme	ent			
Exa ■ No □ Ye 11. Clot Exa □ No	arms armples: Pistols, rifles, shotguns, ammur bes. Describe hes amples: Everyday clothes, furs, leather	, , ,				
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☐ Yes. Describe.....

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If you are the beneficiary of a living trust, expect proceeds from a life insurance policy, or are currently entitled to receive property because someone has died.

No

☐ Yes. Give specific information..

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10	or Part 4. Write that number he	ere			40,011121
Part 5:	Describe Any Business-Related	Property You Own or Have an	Interest In. L	ist any real estate in Part 1.	
37. <b>Do</b>	you own or have any legal or equi	table interest in any business-	related prope	rty?	
■ N	o. Go to Part 6.				
ΠY	es. Go to line 38.				
Part 6:	Describe Any Farm- and Comme If you own or have an interest in fa		You Own or	Have an Interest In.	
46. <b>D</b> o	you own or have any legal or	equitable interest in any fa	arm- or com	mercial fishing-related property?	
	No. Go to Part 7.				
	Yes. Go to line 47.				
Part 7:	Describe All Property You	Own or Have an Interest in Tha	t You Did No	List Above	
	you have other property of an examples: Season tickets, country		list?		
	No				
	Yes. Give specific information				
54. <b>A</b>	Add the dollar value of all of yo	our entries from Part 7. Writ	te that numl	per here	\$0.00
Part 8:	List the Totals of Each Part	of this Form			
	Part 1: Total real estate, line 2				\$160,000.00
	Part 2: Total vehicles, line 5			\$0.00	+
	Part 3: Total personal and hous	sehold items, line 15	-	\$1,150.00	
	Part 4: Total financial assets, li		-	\$3,677.24	
	Part 5: Total business-related p		-	\$0.00	
60. <b>F</b>	Part 6: Total farm- and fishing-	related property, line 52		\$0.00	
61. <b>F</b>	Part 7: Total other property not	t listed, line 54	+	\$0.00	

63. **Total of all property on Schedule A/B**. Add line 55 + line 62

Total personal property. Add lines 56 through 61...

\$164,827.24

\$4,827.24

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\$4,827.24

Copy personal property total

## Official Form 106C

## Schedule C: The Property You Claim as Exempt

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. Using the property you listed on *Schedule A/B: Property* (Official Form 106A/B) as your source, list the property that you claim as exempt. If more space is needed, fill out and attach to this page as many copies of *Part 2: Additional Page* as necessary. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

For each item of property you claim as exempt, you must specify the amount of the exemption you claim. One way of doing so is to state a specific dollar amount as exempt. Alternatively, you may claim the full fair market value of the property being exempted up to the amount of any applicable statutory limit. Some exemptions—such as those for health aids, rights to receive certain benefits, and tax-exempt retirement funds—may be unlimited in dollar amount. However, if you claim an exemption of 100% of fair market value under a law that limits the exemption to a particular dollar amount and the value of the property is determined to exceed that amount, your exemption would be limited to the applicable statutory amount.

- 1. Which set of exemptions are you claiming? Check one only, even if your spouse is filing with you.
  - You are claiming state and federal nonbankruptcy exemptions. 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(3)
  - ☐ You are claiming federal exemptions. 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(2)
- 2. For any property you list on Schedule A/B that you claim as exempt, fill in the information below.

Brief description of the property and line on Schedule A/B that lists this property	Current value of the portion you own	Amo	ount of the exemption you claim	Specific laws that allow exemption	
	Copy the value from Schedule A/B	Che	ck only one box for each exemption.		
1536 N. Lotus Ave. Chicago, IL 60651 Cook County	\$160,000.00		\$15,000.00	735 ILCS 5/12-901	
Line from Schedule A/B: 1.1			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit		
Furniture Used - Tables, Sofa, Lamps, Chairs, Bed,	\$600.00		\$600.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)	
Line from Schedule A/B: 6.1			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit		
Used TV, cell phone Line from Schedule A/B: 7.1	\$350.00		\$350.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)	
Ellie Holli Gonedale A.E.			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit		
Used Clothing Line from Schedule A/B: 11.1	\$200.00		\$200.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(a)	
Ellie Holli Garedale A.B. 1111			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit		
Cash Line from Schedule A/B: 16.1	\$10.00		\$10.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)	
Ello Holli Golleddio 7/B. 1911			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit		

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			ng: PNC Bank	\$2,144.27		\$1,517.03	7
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Debtor 2							
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schedule D:	Creditors	Who Have Claims Sec	urea	by Propert	<u>y</u>		12/15
		If two married people are filing together, bot out, number the entries, and attach it to this					
. Do any creditors have	claims secured b	y your property?					
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Add the dollar value of your entries in Column A on this page. Write that number here: \$156,548.00 If this is the last page of your form, add the dollar value totals from all pages. \$156,548.00 Write that number here:

### Part 2: List Others to Be Notified for a Debt That You Already Listed

Use this page only if you have others to be notified about your bankruptcy for a debt that you already listed in Part 1. For example, if a collection agency is trying to collect from you for a debt you owe to someone else, list the creditor in Part 1, and then list the collection agency here. Similarly, if you have more than one creditor for any of the debts that you listed in Part 1, list the additional creditors here. If you do not have additional persons to be notified for any debts in Part 1, do not fill out or submit this page.

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		II of Your NONPRIORIT	Y Unsecured Claims			
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Debtor 1 Ricardo J Sepeda Case number (if know) 4.2 \$30,494.00 **MCT Group** Last 4 digits of account number 9319 Nonpriority Creditor's Name P.O. Box 7748 When was the debt incurred? Torrance, CA 90504 Number Street City State Zlp Code As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply Who incurred the debt? Check one. ■ Debtor 1 only ☐ Contingent Debtor 2 only ■ Unliquidated Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only ☐ Disputed Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim: ☐ At least one of the debtors and another ☐ Student loans ☐ Check if this claim is for a community  $\square$  Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not Is the claim subject to offset? report as priority claims ■ No Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts ☐ Yes Other. Specify 4.3 Mohela/Dept of Ed 0004 Last 4 digits of account number \$3,867.00 Nonpriority Creditor's Name Opened 11/15 Last Active 633 Spirit Dr When was the debt incurred? 8/04/17 Chesterfield, MO 63005 Number Street City State Zlp Code As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply Who incurred the debt? Check one. ☐ Contingent ■ Debtor 1 only ☐ Unliquidated Debtor 2 only ☐ Disputed ☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim: ☐ At least one of the debtors and another Student loans ☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt  $\square$  Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not Is the claim subject to offset? report as priority claims  $\square$  Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts ■ No ☐ Yes ☐ Other. Specify Educational 4.4 Mohela/Dept of Ed \$2,807.00 Last 4 digits of account number 0003 Nonpriority Creditor's Name Opened 11/15 Last Active 633 Spirit Dr When was the debt incurred? 8/04/17 Chesterfield, MO 63005 Number Street City State Zlp Code As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply Who incurred the debt? Check one. ☐ Contingent ■ Debtor 1 only ■ Unliquidated Debtor 2 only ☐ Disputed ☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim: ☐ At least one of the debtors and another Student loans ☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt  $\square$  Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not Is the claim subject to offset? report as priority claims ■ No  $\square$  Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts ☐ Yes ☐ Other. Specify

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	Mohela/Dep Nonpriority Cred		Last 4 digits of account number	0001			\$3,278.00
	633 Spirit D Chesterfield	r d, MO 63005	When was the debt incurred?	Oper 8/04/		Last Active	-
		City State ZIp Code  the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check	call that apply	у	
	Debtor 1 onl	у	☐ Contingent				
	☐ Debtor 2 onl	у	☐ Unliquidated				
	Debtor 1 and	d Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed				
	☐ At least one	of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	d claim:			
	☐ Check if thi	s claim is for a community	Student loans				
	debt Is the claim su	bject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	aration ag	reement or d	livorce that you did not	
	■ No		Debts to pension or profit-sharing	ıg plans,	and other sim	nilar debts	
	☐ Yes		Other. Specify				_
			Educationa	ıl			
Part 3:	List Others	s to Be Notified About a Deb	t That You Already Listed				
is tryin have m notified Name an	ng to collect from one than one collect from one collect for any debts and Address	m you for a debt you owe to son reditor for any of the debts that in Parts 1 or 2, do not fill out or	On which entry in Part 1 or Part 2 did you	Parts 1	or 2, then listeditors here	st the collection agence.  If you do not have ado	y here. Similarly, if you ditional persons to be
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7588 H	lillmont nd, CA 9460	5	•	Part 2:	Creditors with	n Nonpriority Unsecured	Claims
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from Pa	art 1 6b. 6c.	Taxes and certain other debts Claims for death or personal in	you owe the government njury while you were intoxicated	6b. 6c.	\$ \$	0.00 0.00	_
			cured claims. Write that amount here.	6d.	\$	0.00	

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Total Nonpriority. Add lines 6f through 6i.

6e. Total Priority. Add lines 6a through 6d. 6e. 0.00 **Total Claim** 6f. Student loans 6f. 15,947.00 Total claims from Part 2 Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that 0.00 6g. you did not report as priority claims

Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts 6h. 0.00 6i. Other. Add all other nonpriority unsecured claims. Write that amount 6i. 30,913.00

6j.

46,860.00

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Fill in this infor	mation to identify your	case:		
Debtor 1	Ricardo J Sepeda	a		
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
Debtor 2				
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
United States Ba	ankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS	
Case number (if known)				☐ Check if this is a
				amended filing

## Official Form 106G

## **Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases**

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, copy the additional page, fill it out, number the entries, and attach it to this page. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

- 1. Do you have any executory contracts or unexpired leases?
  - ☐ No. Check this box and file this form with the court with your other schedules. You have nothing else to report on this form.
  - Yes. Fill in all of the information below even if the contacts of leases are listed on Schedule A/B:Property (Official Form 106 A/B).
- List separately each person or company with whom you have the contract or lease. Then state what each contract or lease is for (for example, rent, vehicle lease, cell phone). See the instructions for this form in the instruction booklet for more examples of executory contracts and unexpired leases.

Person or company with whom you have the contract or lease
Name, Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code

2.1 Antoinette Huff
1536 N. Lotus
Unit 2
Chicago, IL 60651

State what the contract or lease is for
Apartment Lease

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Fill in this	information to identify your	case:			
Debtor 1	Digardo I Canad	lo.			
Debioi i	Ricardo J Seped	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2					
(Spouse if, fili	ng) First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
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Sched	lule H: Your Cod	lebtors			12/15
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_	you have any codebtors? (If	you are filing a joint case,	do not list either spouse	e as a codebtor.	
■ No □ Yes	5				
	hin the last 8 years, have yo na, California, Idaho, Louisiana				ty states and territories include
■ No.	Go to line 3.				
☐ Yes	s. Did your spouse, former spo	ouse, or legal equivalent live	e with you at the time?		
in line Form	2 again as a codebtor only	if that person is a guaran	tor or cosigner. Make	sure you have listed t	g with you. List the person shown he creditor on Schedule D (Official Schedule E/F, or Schedule G to fill
	Column 1: Your codebtor Name, Number, Street, City, State and 2	ZIP Code		Column 2: The cro	editor to whom you owe the debt
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3.1	Name			U Schedule D, lin	
	Ivanie			☐ Schedule E/F,	
				☐ Schedule G, lir	ne
	Number Street			_	
	City	State	ZIP Code		
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0	fficial Form 106I					MM / DD/ `	YYYY		
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spo atta	plying correct information. If use. If you are separated and ch a separate sheet to this fo  tt1: Describe Employm  Fill in your employment information.	your spouse is not filing w rm. On the top of any addit	ith you, do not inclu	ıde infor	mati	on about your sp I case number (if	ouse. If me known). <i>A</i>	ore space is	needed,
	If you have more than one job	).	■ Employed			☐ Empl	oyed		
	attach a separate page with information about additional	Employment status	☐ Not employed			□ Not €	mployed		
	employers.	Occupation	Barber						
	Include part-time, seasonal, c self-employed work.	Employer's name	Joe's Hair Stud	lio					
	Occupation may include stude or homemaker, if it applies.	ent Employer's address	3005 W. Armita Chicago, IL 606						
		How long employed t	there? 1.5 year	ars					
Par	t 2: Give Details About	Monthly Income							
	mate monthly income as of the unless you are separated.	ne date you file this form. If	you have nothing to r	report for	any	line, write \$0 in the	space. In	clude your no	n-filing
	u or your non-filing spouse hav e space, attach a separate she		ombine the information	on for all	empl	oyers for that perso	on on the li	ines below. If	you need
						For Debtor 1		btor 2 or ing spouse	
2.	List monthly gross wages, deductions). If not paid mont			2.	\$	0.00	\$	N/A	
3.	Estimate and list monthly o	vertime pay.		3.	+\$	0.00	+\$	N/A	
4.	Calculate gross Income. Ad	dd line 2 + line 3.		4.	\$	0.00	\$	N/A	

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Debt	tor 1	Ricardo J Sepeda	_	Case	number (if known)				
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				For	Debtor 1		Debtor 2		
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	Cop	by line 4 here	4.	\$_	0.00	\$_		N/A	
5.	List	all payroll deductions:							
	5a.	Tax, Medicare, and Social Security deductions	5a.	\$	0.00	\$		N/A	
	5b.	Mandatory contributions for retirement plans	5b.	\$	0.00	\$		N/A	
	5c.	Voluntary contributions for retirement plans	5c.	\$	0.00	\$		N/A	
	5d.	Required repayments of retirement fund loans	5d.	\$	0.00	\$		N/A	
	5e.	Insurance	5e.	\$	0.00	\$_		N/A	
	5f.	Domestic support obligations	5f.	\$_	0.00	\$_		N/A	
	5g.	Union dues	5g.	\$_	0.00	\$_		N/A	
	5h.	Other deductions. Specify:	5h.+	· -	0.00			N/A	
6.		I the payroll deductions. Add lines 5a+5b+5c+5d+5e+5f+5g+5h.	6.	\$_	0.00	\$_		N/A	
7.	Cal	culate total monthly take-home pay. Subtract line 6 from line 4.	7.	\$_	0.00	\$_		N/A	
8.	List 8a.	all other income regularly received:  Net income from rental property and from operating a business, profession, or farm  Attach a statement for each property and business showing gross receipts, ordinary and necessary business expenses, and the total							
		monthly net income.	8a.	\$	2,900.00	\$		N/A	
	8b.	Interest and dividends	8b.	\$	0.00	\$		N/A	
	8c.	Family support payments that you, a non-filing spouse, or a dependent regularly receive	:					-	
		Include alimony, spousal support, child support, maintenance, divorce settlement, and property settlement.	8c.	\$	0.00	\$		N/A	
	8d.	Unemployment compensation	8d.	\$_	0.00	\$		N/A	
	8e.	Social Security	8e.	\$	0.00	\$		N/A	
	8f.	Other government assistance that you regularly receive Include cash assistance and the value (if known) of any non-cash assistance that you receive, such as food stamps (benefits under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) or housing subsidies. Specify:	e 8f.	\$	0.00	\$		N/A	
	8g.	Pension or retirement income	8g.	\$	0.00	\$		N/A	
	8h.	Other monthly income. Specify:	8h.+	\$_	0.00	+ \$_		N/A	
9.	Add	all other income. Add lines 8a+8b+8c+8d+8e+8f+8g+8h.	9.	\$	2,900.00	\$_		N/A	
10.	Cal	culate monthly income. Add line 7 + line 9.	10. \$		2,900.00 + \$		N/A =	\$	2,900.00
	Add	the entries in line 10 for Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse.			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,				,
11.	I. State all other regular contributions to the expenses that you list in <i>Schedule J</i> .  Include contributions from an unmarried partner, members of your household, your dependents, your roommates, and other friends or relatives.  Do not include any amounts already included in lines 2-10 or amounts that are not available to pay expenses listed in <i>Schedule J</i> .  Specify:  11. +\$ 0.00								
12.		If the amount in the last column of line 10 to the amount in line 11. The reset that amount on the Summary of Schedules and Statistical Summary of Certallies					12.	\$	2,900.00
								Combin	ed / income
13.	Do :	you expect an increase or decrease within the year after you file this form No.	?				n	nonthly	, income
		Yes. Explain:							

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							An amended filir	•	
	tor 2 ouse, if filing)							nowing postpetition chapte of the following date:	ſ
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Unit	ed States Bankru	iptcy Court for the	NORTH	ERN DISTRICT OF ILLIN	OIS		MM / DD / YYYY	,	
Cas	e number								
(lf kı	nown)								
Of	fficial Fo	rm 106J							
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nun	nber (if known	n). Answer ever	y questio	n.					
Par		be Your House	hold						
1.	Is this a joint	t case?							
	■ No. Go to	line 2.							
	☐ Yes. <b>Does</b>	Debtor 2 live i	in a separ	ate household?					
	□ No	)							
	☐ Ye	s. Debtor 2 mus	st file Offici	al Form 106J-2, Expenses	for Separate House	hold of De	ebtor 2.		
2	De veu beve	demendente?	<b>=</b>						
2.	•	dependents?	■ No						
	Do not list De Debtor 2.	btor 1 and	☐ Yes.	Fill out this information for each dependent	Dependent's relati Debtor 1 or Debtor		Dependent's age	Does dependent live with you?	
	Do not state t dependents n							□ No □ Yes	
	dependents	iairies.					_	_ □ Yes □ No	
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		people other the vour depende		Yes					
	yourself and	your aepenae	nts? —						
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exp				uptcy filing date unless y y is filed. If this is a supp					
Incl	lude expenses	s paid for with r	non-cash	government assistance it	f vou know				
				cluded it on Schedule I: Y			v		
(Off	ficial Form 106	6I.)					Your ex	kpenses	
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4.		r <b>nome owners</b> d any rent for the		ses for your residence. In	nciude first mortgage	4.	\$	1,260.00	
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		state taxes	or rontor	'e ineurance		4a. 4b.	·	0.00	
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5.				our residence, such as ho	me equity loans	5.		0.00	

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btor 1	Ricardo J Sepeda	Case num	ber (if known)	
Utilit	es:			
Utilit 6a.	Electricity, heat, natural gas	6a.	\$	206.00
6b.	Water, sewer, garbage collection	6b.	·	90.00
6c.	Telephone, cell phone, Internet, satellite, and cable services	6c.		90.00
6d.	Other. Specify: INTERNET	6d.		35.00
ou.	CABLE		\$	
<b>-</b>			·	40.00
	and housekeeping supplies	7.		250.00
	care and children's education costs	8.		0.00
	ing, laundry, and dry cleaning	9.	·	80.00
	onal care products and services	10.	·	80.00
	cal and dental expenses	11.	\$	25.00
	sportation. Include gas, maintenance, bus or train fare.	40	Φ.	120.00
	ot include car payments.	12.	· <u> </u>	
	tainment, clubs, recreation, newspapers, magazines, and books	13.	·	0.00
	itable contributions and religious donations	14.	\$	0.00
. Insu				
	ot include insurance deducted from your pay or included in lines 4 or 20.			
	Life insurance	15a.	·	0.00
15b.	Health insurance	15b.	\$	128.00
15c.	Vehicle insurance	15c.	\$	0.00
15d.	Other insurance. Specify:	15d.	\$	0.00
	s. Do not include taxes deducted from your pay or included in lines 4 or 20.			0.00
Spec		16.	\$	0.00
. Insta	Ilment or lease payments:			
	Car payments for Vehicle 1	17a.	\$	0.00
	Car payments for Vehicle 2	17b.	\$	0.00
	Other Specify:	17c.	·	0.00
	Other. Specify:	17d.		
		17u.	Ψ	0.00
	payments of alimony, maintenance, and support that you did not report as cted from your pay on line 5, Schedule I, Your Income (Official Form 106I).	18.	\$	0.00
	r payments you make to support others who do not live with you.		\$	0.00
		10	Ψ	0.00
Spec	•	19.		
	r real property expenses not included in lines 4 or 5 of this form or on Scheol Mortgages on other property	20a.		0.00
			·	0.00
	Real estate taxes	20b.	·	0.00
	Property, homeowner's, or renter's insurance	20c.		0.00
20d.	Maintenance, repair, and upkeep expenses	20d.	·	0.00
20e.	Homeowner's association or condominium dues	20e.	\$	0.00
. Othe	r: Specify: Student Loan Payments	21.	+\$	174.00
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	ulate your monthly expenses		<b>Q</b>	0.770.00
	Add lines 4 through 21.		Ψ	2,778.00
22b.	Copy line 22 (monthly expenses for Debtor 2), if any, from Official Form 106J-2		\$	
22c.	Add line 22a and 22b. The result is your monthly expenses.		\$	2,778.00
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	ulate your monthly net income.	60	Φ.	
	Copy line 12 (your combined monthly income) from Schedule I.	23a.		2,900.00
23b.	Copy your monthly expenses from line 22c above.	23b.	-\$	2,778.00
23c.	Subtract your monthly expenses from your monthly income.	224	<b>Q</b>	122.00
	The result is your <i>monthly net income</i> .	23c.	\$	122.00
For e	ou expect an increase or decrease in your expenses within the year after you cample, do you expect to finish paying for your car loan within the year or do you expect your cation to the terms of your mortgage?			e or decrease because o
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Fill in this	information to identify you	case.			
Debtor 1	Ricardo J Seped	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2					
(Spouse if, filin	ng) First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
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obtaining n		in connection with a ban			nent, concealing property, or or imprisonment for up to 20
	Sign Below				
Did yo	ou pay or agree to pay som	eone who is NOT an atto	rney to help you fill out b	ankruptcy forms?	
	No				
	Yes. Name of person				uptcy Petition Preparer's Notice,
				Declaration, a	and Signature (Official Form 119)
	penalty of perjury, I declare ley are true and correct.	e that I have read the sun	nmary and schedules filed	d with this declaration	and
X /s	/ Ricardo J Sepeda		X		

Signature of Debtor 2

Date

Ricardo J Sepeda Signature of Debtor 1

Date September 25, 2017

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Fill	in this inform	nation to identify you	r case:			
	otor 1	Ricardo J Sepec				
		First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
l	otor 2 use if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Uni	ted States Bar	nkruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT (	OF ILLINOIS		
Cas	se number					
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					equally responsible for sup	
num	ber (if knowr	n). Answer every que	stion.			
Par	t 1: Give D	etails About Your Ma	arital Status and Where You	ı Lived Before		
1.	What is your	current marital statu	ıs?			
	<ul><li>□ Married</li><li>■ Not mar</li></ul>	ried				
2.	During the la	ast 3 years, have you	lived anywhere other than	where you live now?		
	_	•	•	·		
	■ No □ Yes. Lis	t all of the places you I	ived in the last 3 years. Do n	ot include where you live now	<i>i</i> .	
	Debtor 1 Pr	ior Address:	Dates Debtor 1 lived there	Debtor 2 Prior Ad	dress:	Dates Debtor 2 lived there
<b>3.</b> state					ity property state or territory	
	■ No					
	_	ke sure you fill out Scl	nedule H: Your Codebtors (O	fficial Form 106H).		
Par	t 2 Explai	n the Sources of You	r Income			
4.	Fill in the tota	I amount of income yo	u received from all jobs and a	ng a business during this yeall businesses, including parter together, list it only once ur		ndar years?
	□ No					
	Yes. Fill	in the details.				
			Debtor 1		Debtor 2	
			Sources of income Check all that apply.	Gross income (before deductions and	Sources of income Check all that apply.	Gross income (before deductions
			chock an that apply.	exclusions)	chook an that apply.	and exclusions)
		of current year until d for bankruptcy:	☐ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$13,800.00	☐ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	
			Operating a business		☐ Operating a business	

Official Form 107

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- - List below each creditor to whom you paid a total of \$6,425\* or more in one or more payments and the total amount you paid that creditor. Do not include payments for domestic support obligations, such as child support and alimony. Also, do not include payments to an attorney for this bankruptcy case.
  - \* Subject to adjustment on 4/01/19 and every 3 years after that for cases filed on or after the date of adjustment.
  - Debtor 1 or Debtor 2 or both have primarily consumer debts.

During the 90 days before you filed for bankruptcy, did you pay any creditor a total of \$600 or more?

☐ Yes List below each creditor to whom you paid a total of \$600 or more and the total amount you paid that creditor. Do not include payments for domestic support obligations, such as child support and alimony. Also, do not include payments to an

attorney for this bankruptcy case.

**Creditor's Name and Address** Dates of payment **Total amount** Amount you Was this payment for ... paid still owe

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Case number (if known) Document Debtor 1 Ricardo J Sepeda

7.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, did you make a payment on a debt you owed anyone who was an insider?  Insiders include your relatives; any general partners; relatives of any general partners; partnerships of which you are a general partner; corporations of which you are an officer, director, person in control, or owner of 20% or more of their voting securities; and any managing agent, including one for a business you operate as a sole proprietor. 11 U.S.C. § 101. Include payments for domestic support obligations, such as child support and alimony.						
	☐ Yes. List all payments to an insider.						
	Insider's Name and Address	Dates of payment	Total amount paid	Amount you still owe	Reason for	this payment	
8.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrupt insider? Include payments on debts guaranteed or cos  No		ments or transfer a	any property on a	ccount of a d	ebt that benefited an	
	Yes. List all payments to an insider						
	Insider's Name and Address	Dates of payment	Total amount paid	Amount you still owe	Reason for Include cred	this payment litor's name	
Pai	t 4: Identify Legal Actions, Repossession	ns, and Foreclosures					
9.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrupt List all such matters, including personal injury modifications, and contract disputes.  No Yes. Fill in the details.						
	Case title Case number	Nature of the case	Court or agency		Status of th	ne case	
10.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrupt Check all that apply and fill in the details below.  No. Go to line 11.  Yes. Fill in the information below.		erty repossessed, t	foreclosed, garnis	hed, attached	d, seized, or levied?	
	Creditor Name and Address	<b>Describe the Property</b>		Date		Value of the	
		Explain what happened	i			property	
11.	Within 90 days before you filed for bankrup accounts or refuse to make a payment bed No  Yes. Fill in the details.		luding a bank or fi	nancial institution	, set off any a	amounts from your	
	Creditor Name and Address	Describe the action the	creditor took	Date :	action was	Amount	
12.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrupt court-appointed receiver, a custodian, or a  No Yes		erty in the possess			efit of creditors, a	
Pai	t 5: List Certain Gifts and Contributions						
13.	Within 2 years before you filed for bankrup  ■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details for each gift.	otcy, did you give any gifts	s with a total value	of more than \$60	0 per person	?	
	Gifts with a total value of more than \$600 per person	Describe the gifts		Dates the gi	you gave fts	Value	
	Person to Whom You Gave the Gift and Address:						

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Nο

Yes. Fill in the details.

Person Who Received Transfer Address

Description and value of property transferred

Describe any property or payments received or debts paid in exchange

Date transfer was made

Person's relationship to you

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19.	beneficiary? (T	s before you filed for bankrup hese are often called asset-pro		ny property to a	a self-settle	ed trust or similar devic	e of w	hich you are a
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in	the details.						
	Name of trust		Description and	value of the pro	perty tran	sferred		ate Transfer was ade
Pai	t 8: List of Ce	ertain Financial Accounts, Ins	struments, Safe Depos	it Boxes, and S	torage Uni	ts		
20.	•	efore you filed for bankrupto	y, were any financial a	ccounts or inst	ruments he	eld in your name, or for	your	benefit, closed,
	houses, pension	r transferred ? ng, savings, money market, c on funds, cooperatives, assoc				it; shares in banks, cred	dit uni	ions, brokerage
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in	the details.						
		ncial Institution and er, Street, City, State and ZIP	Last 4 digits of account number	Type of acco	ount or	Date account was closed, sold, moved, or transferred	k	Last balance pefore closing or transfer
21.	Do you now ha	ive, or did you have within 1 yvaluables?	year before you filed fo	or bankruptcy, a	ny safe de	posit box or other depo	sitory	/ for securities,
	No							
		the details.			_			
		ncial Institution er, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Who else had ac Address (Number, State and ZIP Code)		Describe	the contents		Do you still have it?
22.	Have you store	ed property in a storage unit o	or place other than you	r home within 1	l year befo	re you filed for bankrup	tcy?	
	■ No							
	☐ Yes. Fill in	the details.						
	Name of Stora Address (Numb	nge Facility er, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	to it?	Address (Number, Street, City,				Do you still have it?
Pai	t 9: Identify F	Property You Hold or Control	for Someone Else					
23.	Do you hold or for someone.	control any property that so	meone else owns? Inc	lude any prope	rty you bor	rowed from, are storing	រ for, d	or hold in trust
	■ No							
	☐ Yes. Fill in	n the details.						
	Owner's Name Address (Numb	er, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Where is the pro (Number, Street, City, Code)		Describe	the property		Value
Pai	t 10: Give Deta	ails About Environmental Info	ormation					
For	the purpose of I	Part 10, the following definiti	ons apply:					
	toxic substanc	law means any federal, state es, wastes, or material into th ntrolling the cleanup of these	ne air, land, soil, surfac	e water, groun				

- Site means any location, facility, or property as defined under any environmental law, whether you now own, operate, or utilize it or used to own, operate, or utilize it, including disposal sites.
- Hazardous material means anything an environmental law defines as a hazardous waste, hazardous substance, toxic substance, hazardous material, pollutant, contaminant, or similar term.

Report all notices, releases, and proceedings that you know about, regardless of when they occurred.

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24.	Has any governmental unit notified you that y	ou may be liable or potentially liable ι	ınder or in violation of an environm	ental law?				
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details.							
	Name of site Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Governmental unit Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Environmental law, if you know it	Date of notice				
25. Have you notified any governmental unit of any release of hazardous material?								
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details.							
	Name of site Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Governmental unit Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Environmental law, if you know it	Date of notice				
26.	Have you been a party in any judicial or admi	nistrative proceeding under any enviro	onmental law? Include settlements	and orders.				
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details.							
	Case Title Case Number	Court or agency Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Nature of the case	Status of the case				
Par	11: Give Details About Your Business or Co	onnections to Any Business						
27.	Within 4 years before you filed for bankruptcy	y, did you own a business or have any	of the following connections to any	y business?				
	☐ A sole proprietor or self-employed in	a trade, profession, or other activity, e	ither full-time or part-time					
	☐ A member of a limited liability company (LLC) or limited liability partnership (LLP)							
	☐ A partner in a partnership							
	☐ An officer, director, or managing exec	cutive of a corporation						
	☐ An owner of at least 5% of the voting	or equity securities of a corporation						
	■ No. None of the above applies. Go to Pa	rt 12.						
	Yes. Check all that apply above and fill in	n the details below for each business.						
		Describe the nature of the business	Employer Identification numbe					
	Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)  Name of accountant or bookkeeper  Dates business existed							
28.	Within 2 years before you filed for bankruptcy institutions, creditors, or other parties.	y, did you give a financial statement to	anyone about your business? Incl	ude all financial				
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details below.							
	Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Date Issued						

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Part 12:	Sign	Below

I have read the answers on this Statement of Financial Affairs and any attachments, and I declare under penalty of perjury that the answers are true and correct. I understand that making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection

	with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both.  18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.					
/s/ Ri	cardo J Sepeda					
	do J Sepeda ture of Debtor 1	Signature of Debtor 2				
Date	September 25, 20	Date				
Did yo	u attach additional pa	es to Your Statement of Financial Affairs for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Official Form 107)?				
■ No						
☐ Yes	•					
Did yo	u pay or agree to pay	omeone who is not an attorney to help you fill out bankruptcy forms?				
■ No						
☐ Yes	. Name of Person	. Attach the Bankruptcy Petition Preparer's Notice, Declaration, and Signature (Official Form 119).				

# Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Form 2010)

### This notice is for you if:

You are an individual filing for bankruptcy, and

Your debts are primarily consumer debts. Consumer debts are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose."

## The types of bankruptcy that are available to individuals

Individuals who meet the qualifications may file under one of four different chapters of Bankruptcy Code:

Chapter 7 - Liquidation

Chapter 11 - Reorganization

Chapter 12 - Voluntary repayment plan for family farmers or fishermen

Chapter 13 - Voluntary repayment plan for individuals with regular income

You should have an attorney review your decision to file for bankruptcy and the choice of chapter.

Chapter 7:	Liquidation
\$245	filing fee
\$75	administrative fee
+ \$15	trustee surcharge
\$335	total fee

Chapter 7 is for individuals who have financial difficulty preventing them from paying their debts and who are willing to allow their nonexempt property to be used to pay their creditors. The primary purpose of filing under chapter 7 is to have your debts discharged. The bankruptcy discharge relieves you after bankruptcy from having to pay many of your pre-bankruptcy debts. Exceptions exist for particular debts, and liens on property may still be enforced after discharge. For example, a creditor may have the right to foreclose a home mortgage or repossess an automobile.

However, if the court finds that you have committed certain kinds of improper conduct described in the Bankruptcy Code, the court may deny your discharge.

You should know that even if you file chapter 7 and you receive a discharge, some debts are not discharged under the law. Therefore, you may still be responsible to pay:

most taxes:

most student loans;

domestic support and property settlement obligations;

most fines, penalties, forfeitures, and criminal restitution obligations; and

certain debts that are not listed in your bankruptcy papers.

You may also be required to pay debts arising from:

fraud or theft;

fraud or defalcation while acting in breach of fiduciary capacity;

intentional injuries that you inflicted; and

death or personal injury caused by operating a motor vehicle, vessel, or aircraft while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs.

If your debts are primarily consumer debts, the court can dismiss your chapter 7 case if it finds that you have enough income to repay creditors a certain amount. You must file *Chapter 7 Statement of Your Current Monthly Income* (Official Form 122A–1) if you are an individual filing for bankruptcy under chapter 7. This form will determine your current monthly income and compare whether your income is more than the median income that applies in your state.

If your income is not above the median for your state, you will not have to complete the other chapter 7 form, the *Chapter 7 Means Test Calculation* (Official Form 122A–2).

If your income is above the median for your state, you must file a second form —the *Chapter 7 Means Test Calculation* (Official Form 122A–2). The calculations on the form— sometimes called the *Means Test*—deduct from your income living expenses and payments on certain debts to determine any amount available to pay unsecured creditors. If

your income is more than the median income for your state of residence and family size, depending on the results of the *Means Test*, the U.S. trustee, bankruptcy administrator, or creditors can file a motion to dismiss your case under § 707(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. If a motion is filed, the court will decide if your case should be dismissed. To avoid dismissal, you may choose to proceed under another chapter of the Bankruptcy Code.

If you are an individual filing for chapter 7 bankruptcy, the trustee may sell your property to pay your debts, subject to your right to exempt the property or a portion of the proceeds from the sale of the property. The property, and the proceeds from property that your bankruptcy trustee sells or liquidates that you are entitled to, is called *exempt property*. Exemptions may enable you to keep your home, a car, clothing, and household items or to receive some of the proceeds if the property is sold.

Exemptions are not automatic. To exempt property, you must list it on *Schedule C: The Property You Claim as Exempt* (Official Form 106C). If you do not list the property, the trustee may sell it and pay all of the proceeds to your creditors.

#### **Chapter 11: Reorganization**

\$1,167 filing fee

+ \$550 administrative fee \$1,717 total fee

Chapter 11 is often used for reorganizing a business, but is also available to individuals. The provisions of chapter 11 are too complicated to summarize briefly.

#### **Read These Important Warnings**

Because bankruptcy can have serious long-term financial and legal consequences, including loss of your property, you should hire an attorney and carefully consider all of your options before you file. Only an attorney can give you legal advice about what can happen as a result of filing for bankruptcy and what your options are. If you do file for bankruptcy, an attorney can help you fill out the forms properly and protect you, your family, your home, and your possessions.

Although the law allows you to represent yourself in bankruptcy court, you should understand that many people find it difficult to represent themselves successfully. The rules are technical, and a mistake or inaction may harm you. If you file without an attorney, you are still responsible for knowing and following all of the legal requirements.

You should not file for bankruptcy if you are not eligible to file or if you do not intend to file the necessary documents.

Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime; you could be fined and imprisoned if you commit fraud in your bankruptcy case. Making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

### Chapter 12: Repayment plan for family farmers or fishermen

	\$200	filing fee
+	\$75	administrative fee
	\$275	total fee

Similar to chapter 13, chapter 12 permits family farmers and fishermen to repay their debts over a period of time using future earnings and to discharge some debts that are not paid.

# Chapter 13: Repayment plan for individuals with regular income

	\$235	filing fee
+	\$75	administrative fee
	\$310	total fee

Chapter 13 is for individuals who have regular income and would like to pay all or part of their debts in installments over a period of time and to discharge some debts that are not paid. You are eligible for chapter 13 only if your debts are not more than certain dollar amounts set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 109.

Under chapter 13, you must file with the court a plan to repay your creditors all or part of the money that you owe them, usually using your future earnings. If the court approves your plan, the court will allow you to repay your debts, as adjusted by the plan, within 3 years or 5 years, depending on your income and other factors.

After you make all the payments under your plan, many of your debts are discharged. The debts that are not discharged and that you may still be responsible to pay include:

domestic support obligations,

most student loans,

certain taxes,

debts for fraud or theft,

debts for fraud or defalcation while acting in a fiduciary capacity,

most criminal fines and restitution obligations,

certain debts that are not listed in your bankruptcy papers,

certain debts for acts that caused death or personal injury, and

certain long-term secured debts.

#### Warning: File Your Forms on Time

Section 521(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code requires that you promptly file detailed information about your creditors, assets, liabilities, income, expenses and general financial condition. The court may dismiss your bankruptcy case if you do not file this information within the deadlines set by the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and the local rules of the court.

For more information about the documents and their deadlines, go to: <a href="http://www.uscourts.gov/bkforms/bankruptcy\_forms.html">http://www.uscourts.gov/bkforms/bankruptcy\_forms.html</a>#procedure.

#### Bankruptcy crimes have serious consequences

If you knowingly and fraudulently conceal assets or make a false oath or statement under penalty of perjury—either orally or in writing—in connection with a bankruptcy case, you may be fined, imprisoned, or both.

All information you supply in connection with a bankruptcy case is subject to examination by the Attorney General acting through the Office of the U.S. Trustee, the Office of the U.S. Attorney, and other offices and employees of the U.S. Department of Justice.

#### Make sure the court has your mailing address

The bankruptcy court sends notices to the mailing address you list on *Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy* (Official Form 101). To ensure that you receive information about your case, Bankruptcy Rule 4002 requires that you notify the court of any changes in your address.

A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together—called a *joint case*. If you file a joint case and each spouse lists the same mailing address on the bankruptcy petition, the bankruptcy court generally will mail you and your spouse one copy of each notice, unless you file a statement with the court asking that each spouse receive separate copies.

### Understand which services you could receive from credit counseling agencies

The law generally requires that you receive a credit counseling briefing from an approved credit counseling agency. 11 U.S.C. § 109(h). If you are filing a joint case, both spouses must receive the briefing. With limited exceptions, you must receive it within the 180 days *before* you file your bankruptcy petition. This briefing is usually conducted by telephone or on the Internet.

In addition, after filing a bankruptcy case, you generally must complete a financial management instructional course before you can receive a discharge. If you are filing a joint case, both spouses must complete the course.

You can obtain the list of agencies approved to provide both the briefing and the instructional course from: <a href="http://justice.gov/ust/eo/hapcpa/ccde/cc\_approved.html">http://justice.gov/ust/eo/hapcpa/ccde/cc\_approved.html</a>

In Alabama and North Carolina, go to: <a href="http://www.uscourts.gov/FederalCourts/Bankruptcy/BankruptcyResources/ApprovedCredit">http://www.uscourts.gov/FederalCourts/Bankruptcy/BankruptcyResources/ApprovedCredit</a> AndDebtCounselors.aspx.

If you do not have access to a computer, the clerk of the bankruptcy court may be able to help you obtain the list.

### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

## RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES AGREEMENT BETWEEN CHAPTER 13 DEBTORS AND THEIR ATTORNEYS

#### (Court-Approved Retention Agreement, Use for cases filed on or after September 19, 2016)

Chapter 13 gives debtors important rights, such as the right to keep property that could otherwise be lost through repossession or foreclosure, but Chapter 13 also puts burdens on debtors, such as the burden of making complete and truthful disclosures of their financial situation. It is important for debtors who file a Chapter 13 bankruptcy case to understand their rights and responsibilities in bankruptcy. In this connection, the advice of an attorney is often crucial. Debtors are entitled to certain services from their attorneys, but debtors also have responsibilities to their attorneys. In order to assure that debtors and their attorneys understand their rights and responsibilities in the Chapter 13 process, the judges of the Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois have approved this agreement, setting out the rights and responsibilities of both debtors in Chapter 13 and their attorneys, including how their attorneys will be paid for their services in the Chapter 13 case. By signing this agreement, debtors and their attorneys accept these responsibilities.

The Bankruptcy Code may require a debtor's attorney to provide the debtor with certain documents and agreements at the start of the representation. The terms of this court-approved agreement take the place of any conflicting provision in an earlier agreement. This agreement cannot be modified in any way by other agreements. Any provision of another agreement between the debtor and the attorney that conflicts with this agreement is void.

#### A. BEFORE THE CASE IS FILED

#### THE DEBTOR AGREES TO:

- 1. Discuss with the attorney the debtor's objectives in filing the case.
- 2. Provide the attorney with full, accurate and timely information, financial and otherwise, including properly documented proof of income.

#### THE ATTORNEY AGREES TO:

- 1. Personally counsel the debtor regarding the advisability of filing either a Chapter 13 or a Chapter 7 case, discuss both procedures (as well as non-bankruptcy options) with the debtor, and answer the debtor's questions.
- 2. Personally explain to the debtor that the attorney is being engaged to represent the debtor on all matters arising in the case, as required by Local Bankruptcy Rule, and explain how and when the attorney's fees and the trustee's fees are determined and paid.

- 3. Personally review with the debtor and sign the completed petition, plan, statements, and schedules, as well as all amendments thereto, whether filed with the petition or later. (The schedules may be initially prepared with the help of clerical or paralegal staff of the attorney's office, but personal attention of the attorney is required for the review and signing.)
- 4. Timely prepare and file the debtor's petition, plan, statements, and schedules.
- 5. Explain to the debtor how, when, and where to make all necessary payments, including both payments that must be made directly to creditors and payments that must be made to the Chapter 13 trustee, with particular attention to housing and vehicle payments.
- 6. Advise the debtor of the need to maintain appropriate insurance.

#### B. AFTER THE CASE IS FILED

#### THE DEBTOR AGREES TO:

- 1. Make the required payments to the trustee and to whatever creditors are being paid directly or, if required payments cannot be made, to notify the attorney immediately.
- 2. Appear punctually at the meeting of creditors (also called the "341 meeting") with recent proof of income and a picture identification card. (If the identification card does not include the debtor's social security number, the debtor must also bring to the meeting a social security card.) The debtor must be present in time for check-in and, when the case is called, for the actual examination.
- 3. Notify the attorney of any change in the debtor's address or telephone number.
- 4. Inform the attorney of any wage garnishments or liens or levies on assets that occur or continue after the filing of the case.
- 5. Contact the attorney immediately if the debtor loses employment, has a significant change in income, or experiences any other significant change in financial situation (such as serious illness, marriage, divorce or separation, lottery winnings, or an inheritance).
- 6. Notify the attorney if the debtor is sued or wishes to file a lawsuit (including divorce).
- 7. Inform the attorney if any tax refunds to which the debtor is entitled are seized or not received when due from the IRS or Illinois Department of Revenue.
- 8. Contact the attorney before buying, refinancing, or selling real property and before entering into any loan agreement.
- 9. Supply the attorney with copies of all tax returns filed while the case is pending.

#### THE ATTORNEY AGREES TO:

- 1. Advise the debtor of the requirement to attend the meeting of creditors and notify the debtor of the date, time, and place of the meeting.
- 2. Inform the debtor that the debtor must be punctual and, in the case of a joint filing, that both spouses must appear at the same meeting.
- 3. Provide knowledgeable legal representation for the debtor at the meeting of creditors (in time for check-in and the actual examination) and, unless excused by the trustee, for the confirmation hearing.
- 4. If the attorney will be employing another attorney to attend the 341 meeting or any court hearing, personally explain to the debtor, in advance, the role and identity of the other attorney and provide the other attorney with the file in sufficient time to review it and properly represent the debtor.
- 5. Timely submit to the Chapter 13 trustee properly documented proof of income for the debtor, including business reports for self-employed debtors.
- 6. Timely respond to objections to plan confirmation and, where necessary, prepare, file, and serve an amended plan.
- 7. Timely prepare, file, and serve any necessary statements, amended statements, and schedules and any change of address, in accordance with information provided by the debtor.
- 8. Monitor all incoming case information (including, but not limited to, Order Confirming Plan, Notice of Intent to Pay Claims, and 6-month status reports) for accuracy and completeness. Contact the trustee promptly regarding any discrepancies.
- 9. Be available to respond to the debtor's questions throughout the term of the plan.
- 10. Prepare, file, and serve timely modifications to the plan after confirmation, when necessary, including modifications to suspend, lower, or increase plan payments.
- 11. Prepare, file, and serve necessary motions to buy or sell property and to incur debt.
- 12. Object to improper or invalid claims.
- 13. Timely respond to the Chapter 13 trustee's motions to dismiss the case, such as for payment default or unfeasibility, and to motions to increase the percentage payment to unsecured creditors.
- 14. Timely respond to motions for relief from stay.
- 15. Prepare, file, and serve all appropriate motions to avoid liens.
- 16. Prepare, file, and serve a notice of conversion to Chapter 7, pursuant to § 1307(a) of the Bankruptcy Code and Local Bankruptcy Rule 1017-1.
- 17. Provide any other legal services necessary for the administration of the case.

## C. TERMINATION OR CONVERSION OF THE CASE AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER APPROVING FEES AND EXPENSES

- 1. Approved fees and expenses paid under the provisions set out below are generally not refundable in the event that the case is dismissed prior to its completion, unless the dismissal is due to a failure by the attorney to comply with the duties set out in this agreement. If such a dismissal is due to a failure by the attorney, the court may order a refund of fees on motion by the debtor.
- 2. If the case is dismissed after approval of the fees and expenses but before payment of all allowed fees and expenses, the order entered by the Bankruptcy Court allowing the fees and expenses is not a judgment against the debtor for the unpaid fees and expenses based on contract law or otherwise.
- 3. If the case is converted to a case under Chapter 7 after approval of the fees and expenses under this agreement but before the payment of all fees and expenses, the attorney will be entitled to an administrative claim in the Chapter 7 case for any unpaid fees and expenses, pursuant to § 726(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, plus any conversion fee the attorney pays on behalf of the debtor.

#### D. RETAINERS AND PREVIOUS PAYMENTS

1. The attorney may receive a retainer or other payment before filing the case but may not receive fees directly from the debtor after the filing of the case. Unless the following provision is checked and completed, any retainer received by the attorney will be treated as a security retainer, to be placed in the attorney's client trust account until approval of a fee application by the court.

□The attorney seeks to have the retainer received by the attorney treated as an advance payment retainer, which allows the attorney to take the retainer into income immediately. The attorney hereby provides the following further information and representations:

- (a) The special purpose for the advance payment retainer and why it is advantageous to the debtor is as follows:
- (b) The retainer will not be held in a client trust account and will become property of the attorney upon payment and will be deposited into the attorney's general account;
- (c) The retainer is a flat fee for the services to be rendered during the Chapter 13 case and will be applied for such services without the need for the attorney to keep detailed hourly time records for the specific services performed for the debtor;

- (d) Any portion of the retainer that is not earned or required for expenses will be refunded to the client; and
- (e) The attorney is unwilling to represent the debtor without receiving an advanced payment retainer because of the nature of the Chapter 13 case, the fact that the great majority of services for such case are performed prior to its filing, and the risks associated with the representation of debtors in bankruptcy cases in general.
- 2. In any application for compensation, the attorney must disclose to the court any fees or other compensation paid by the debtor to the attorney for any reason within the one year before the case filing, including the date(s) any such fees were paid.

#### E. CONDUCT AND DISCHARGE

- 1. *Improper conduct by the attorney*. If the debtor disputes the sufficiency or quality of the legal services provided or the amount of the fees charged by the attorney, the debtor may file an objection with the court and request a hearing.
- 2. *Improper conduct by the debtor*. If the attorney believes that the debtor is not complying with the debtor's responsibilities under this agreement or is otherwise engaging in improper conduct, the attorney may apply for a court order allowing the attorney to withdraw from the case.
- 3. Discharge of the attorney. The debtor may discharge the attorney at any time.

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#### F. ALLOWANCE AND PAYMENT OF ATTORNEYS' FEES AND EXPENSES

- 1. Any attorney retained to represent a debtor in a Chapter 13 case is responsible for representing the debtor on all matters arising in the case unless otherwise ordered by the court. For all of the services outlined above, the attorney will be paid a flat fee of \$4,000.00.
- 2. In addition, the debtor will pay the filing fee required in the case and other expenses of \$310.00.
- 3. Before signing this agreement, the attorney has received, \$150.00 toward the flat fee, leaving a balance due of \$3,850.00; and \$0.00 for expenses, leaving a balance due for the filing fee of \$0.00.
- 4. In extraordinary circumstances, such as extended evidentiary hearings or appeals, the attorney may apply to the court for additional compensation for these services. Any such application must be accompanied by an itemization of the services rendered, showing the date, the time expended, and the identity of the attorney performing the services. The debtor must be served with a copy of the application and notified of the right to appear in court to object.

Date: <b>September 25, 2017</b>		
Signed:		
/s/ Ricardo J Sepeda	/s/ Ted A. Smith	
Ricardo J Sepeda	Ted A. Smith 6271456	-
	Attorney for the Debtor(s)	
Debtor(s)		
Do not sign this agreement if the amou	unts are blank.	

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# **United States Bankruptcy Court**Northern District of Illinois

In re	e Ricardo J Sepeda		Case No.		
		Debtor(s)	Chapter	13	
	DISCLOSURE OF COMP	ENSATION OF ATTOI	RNEY FOR D	EBTOR(S)	
1.	Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 329(a) and Fed. Bankr. P. 20 compensation paid to me within one year before the fibe rendered on behalf of the debtor(s) in contemplatio	ling of the petition in bankruptcy,	or agreed to be pai	d to me, for services re	
	For legal services, I have agreed to accept		\$	4,000.00	
	Prior to the filing of this statement I have receive	d	\$	150.00	
	Balance Due		\$	3,850.00	
2.	The source of the compensation paid to me was:				
	■ Debtor □ Other (specify):				
3.	The source of compensation to be paid to me is:				
	■ Debtor □ Other (specify):				
4.	■ I have not agreed to share the above-disclosed cor	mpensation with any other person	unless they are mer	mbers and associates of	f my law firm.
	☐ I have agreed to share the above-disclosed compecopy of the agreement, together with a list of the results.				aw firm. A
5.	In return for the above-disclosed fee, I have agreed to	render legal service for all aspect	s of the bankruptcy	case, including:	
	<ul> <li>a. Analysis of the debtor's financial situation, and rer</li> <li>b. Preparation and filing of any petition, schedules, st</li> <li>c. Representation of the debtor at the meeting of cred</li> <li>d. [Other provisions as needed]</li> <li>Negotiations with secured creditors to reaffirmation agreements and applicate 522(f)(2)(A) for avoidance of liens on head</li> </ul>	tatement of affairs and plan which litors and confirmation hearing, and preduce to market value; exc tions as needed; preparation	n may be required; and any adjourned he emption planning	earings thereof;	filing of
6.	By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed	fee does not include the following	g service:		
		CERTIFICATION			
	I certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of bankruptcy proceeding.	any agreement or arrangement for	payment to me for	representation of the d	lebtor(s) in
_	September 25, 2017	/s/ Ted A. Smith			
1	Date	Ted A. Smith 627 Signature of Attorne Smith Ortiz P.C. 4309 W. Fullertor Chicago, IL 60639 773-384-7400 Fa	ey n Avenue 9		

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Name of law firm

#### **United States Bankruptcy Court** Northern District of Illinois

In re	Ricardo J Sepeda		Case No.	
		Debtor(s)	Chapter	13
	VE	CRIFICATION OF CREDITOR M	ATRIX	
		Number of	Creditors:	9
	The above-named Debtor(s) (our) knowledge.	hereby verifies that the list of credit	ors is true and	correct to the best of my
Date:	September 25, 2017	/s/ Ricardo J Sepeda Ricardo J Sepeda Signature of Debtor		

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